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Yuya has just transferred into the dorm of Natsuka Academy. But "Strawberry Dorm" is full of surprises! It's not on the school map, and for some reason is co-ed! And on top of it all, the residents are all strange people...

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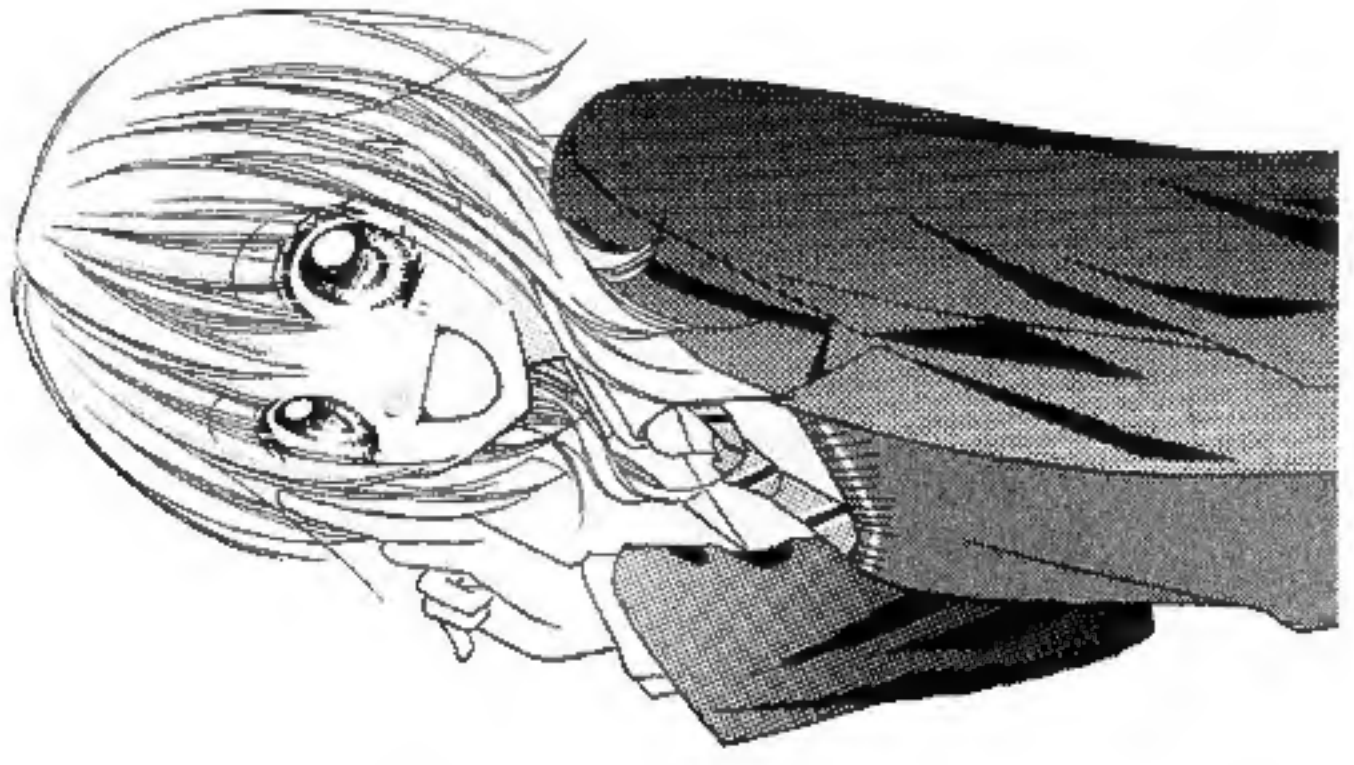

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LOVE-BERRISH!

Rinaco【1】

At a boarding school called Natsuka Academy.

Starting tomorrow, a high school student!

Fukushima Yuya, age 15.

And today,

Just a few days from school,

My life at the dorm is starting.

YOU THINK SO? IT MIGHT ACTUALLY BE PRETTY EXCITING!!

WOO HOO!

swing swing swing swing

Easily influenced

EVERY DAY WILL BE LIKE A SCHOOL TRIP!

Yeah~

WOW, THAT SOUNDS SO FUN!

Friends from middle-school

It's my first time in a dorm, so I'm a little nervous, but...

...BUT...

THE GIRLS' DORMS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE HERE, BUT THE NAME IS DIFFERENT...

THAT'S SO WEIRD...

flip

NATSUKA ACADEMY

White Peach...?

I'M SUPPOSED TO BE IN THE STRAWBERRY DORM, AND THAT'S NOT EVEN ON THE MAP...

Main Building

Audi-torium

White Peach

Water-melon

WHITE PEACH

WHERE AM I?

Oh!

Talk-ing!!

Lem-me listen!

PAT PAT PAT

WHAT THE HELL IS UP WITH HIM!?

YOU AL-RIGHT ?

AHH !!

THUD

pitter pitter

EXCUSE ME...

Seems ...

Wh... what was that ...?

...like I've come across a highly danger-ous area.

Whoa.....

...THE HELL ARE YOU LOOKING AT?

EEK!!

I'M S-S-S-SORRY!!!

I-I DIDN'T MEAN TO STARE!

I WAS JUST LOOKING FOR THE STRAWBERRY DORM!

I'll leave now! I really will!

WHO ARE YOU?

FOH!!

IT'S NOT THAT WAY.

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Love Berrish!

Hi everyone I'm Haruta, Haruta Nana. This is the first volume of Love Berrish! Already? Wow, I'm so happy... Wait, happy? I'm always in a rush for the deadline every month I hope you enjoy it, though!

MAINLY SUPER-VISION AND GUIDANCE FOR THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE HERE.

I'M THE DORM HEAD FOR THIS PLACE.

YOU MUST BE FUKU-SHIMA-SAN.

IT'S RARE TO HAVE SOMEONE FROM THE SENIOR GRADES COME IN

I WAS STARTING TO GET WORRIED BECAUSE YOU WEREN'T HERE YET.

DORM HEAD?

SORRY! I GOT A BIT LOST.

I WAS LOOKING AT THE SCHOOL MAP...

BUT FOR SOME REASON STRAWBERRY DORM WASN'T ON IT...

Huh ?

What do you

Did I just over-look it?

THIS IS YOUR ROOM.

OH, IT WOULDN'T BE ON THAT.

SCHOOL MAP?

ROOM 203.

YOUR THINGS SHOULD BE HERE.

SCHOOL STARTS TOMORROW BUT YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO SORT THINGS OUT BY THEN.

You don't have much here.

I'M TOO LAZY TO EXPLAIN THE RULES AND WAYS OF THE DORM HERE.

Read the orientation booklet carefully.

WELL, ANYTHING MORE WOULD JUST BE MORE TROUBLE FOR ME.

That is all.

that's nice.

OH, CHIBA!

GOOD TIMING.

IF YOU HAVE TIME, CAN YOU SHOW HER AROUND THE DORM?

It's pretty nice.

Ano-
thet
dorm
resi-
dent?

Cute
or more
like
pretty

He's
pretty,
even
though
he's a
boy...

NEW
TO THE
DORM,
RIGHT?

He
is so
Cute

YEAH.

2

I'm so sleepy but I have 10 hours until my deadline so I'm pluggin'. Will I be able to fill all 13 columns in time? IF I ever do, audience, a large round of applause for Haruta! A round of applause for Haruta, who's been working through Christmas! A round of applause for Haruta, who's had to put off a game she's pre-ordered so she could finish work. okay, I think that's enough. I'm sorry. I know it's a fact of life

Yes!! This game I have pre-ordered is called Kingdom Hearts II, and I'm sure all of you have heard about it as well. You don't know how long I've been waiting for this game..!! You could say for these past couple of months, my life was dedicated to waiting for this game

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Isn't this a girls' dorm!?

HUH?

BUT THE WHITE PEACH IS FULL RIGHT NOW.

USUALLY BOYS ARE SENT TO THE WATERMELON DORM, AND GIRLS TO THE WHITE PEACH DORM

THIS IS A CO-ED DORM.

I told you to read the orientation booklet

NO PROB-LEM.

THERE ARE LOCKS ON ALL THE ROOMS, AND AS LONG AS I'M SUPERVISING, I WON'T LET ANYTHING HAPPEN.

I-I-I-I-IS TH-TH-TH-TH-TH--!?

(TRANS-LATION: IS THAT OKAY!?)

Shif-
ty

This dorm is so shifty —!!!

THANKS, CHIBA.

OKAY.

FUKU-SHIMA-SAN, YOU'RE IN... GRADE 9 AS WELL?

It's so far away from every-thing else. And it's a co-ed dorm. It's not even on the school map.

The build-ing is tiny compared to White Peach

THEN WE'RE THE SAME.

BUT THAT DOESN'T MATTER ANY-MORE...

NICE TO MEET YOU... ♡

NOSE BLEED

I'M CHIBA AZUSA.

NICE TO MEET YOU.

THIS IS THE KITCHEN.

YOU CAN DO LIGHT COOKING HERE.

THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA'S NOT OPEN ON WEEKENDS OR HOLIDAYS, SO WE HAVE OUR MEALS HERE.

We make our own, and such.

There are video games too.

THIS IS THE ONLY ROOM IN THE DORM WITH A TV.

THIS IS THE COMMON ROOM.

AND THIS IS THE LAUNDRY ROOM.

THIS IS THE BATH-ROOM ...

um

DID I GO A BIT TOO QUICKLY ?

AZUSA-KUN, WHO'S SHE?

I'M HOME ...

HEEY!!

YOU'LL GET USED TO IT.

Will I...?

SHE'S WEARING HER UNI-FORM ON A SUNDAY! THAT MUST MEAN...

THE NEW STUDENT THAT'S SUPPOSED TO BE COMING!?

YUP.

OMI-GOD —!!

ME, EMI, I'M MITO EMIKA...

OH HEY!!

YOU'RE GRADE 9, RIGHT?

WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

WHAT ROOM ARE YOU IN?

HEY, YOU.

Aren't they cute?

Yeah

LOOK, LOOK!!! I GOT MY BANGS FRINGED TODAY!!!

He wasn't with you?

WHERE'S NAGISA?

Nice to meet you

I'M MIYAGI KON-

WE'VE BEEN HERE SINCE MIDDLE SCHOOL.

I'M SORRY, SHE'S AN IDIOT.

WHAT!?

Oh

I'M FUKU-SHIMA YUYA.

UMM, YOU ARE ...?

NAGISA? HE WAS WITH US JUST NOW,

BUT HE GOT INTO A FIGHT AND WENT OFF SOME-WHERE.

HA HA HA!!

HE MUST LOVE FIGHTING A LOT! ♪

Hurt again?

NAGISA.

YOU'RE BLEED-ING.

I DON'T DO IT BECAUSE I WANT TO.

Ooh

HEY

You're

!!

What

!?

THIS IS FUKUSHIMA YUYA-SAN. SHE JUST MOVED INTO THE DORMS TODAY.

HMMM...

YOU'VE MET?

Yeah

NO.

I GOT LOST AND...

WHO IS SHE?

FUKU-SHIMA-SAN.

THIS IS TAKA-MATSU NAGISA.

Let me touch it!

HE'S IN THE ROOM NEXT TO YOURS.

HE'S ALWAYS LIKE THAT.

Don't take it personally.

Okay!?

OKAY.

hmph

NICE TO MEET YOU.

.....

FOH!?!

MRRRRRRAAAWWGHH!!

WHAT'S HE CALLED?

What a unique face!

OKAY.....

WHAT IS THAT!?

'Cause you keep feeding him.

HE'S KIND OF MADE HIMSELF OUR PET ...

'Come here~

OH.

HE'S OUR PET CAT HERE AT THE DORM.

HA HA HA.

YOU'RE SO ADOR-ABLE

Azusa-kun.

WE CALL HIM FUGLY.

HE'S THE ONLY ONE THAT CALLS IT THAT.

Coz he's dumb, looking and ugly

You can call him Mi-chan

Michelle LaFrance.

Mi-

MI-CHAN, HUH...

NICE TO MEET YOU.

STOP IT!

MI-CHELLE !!

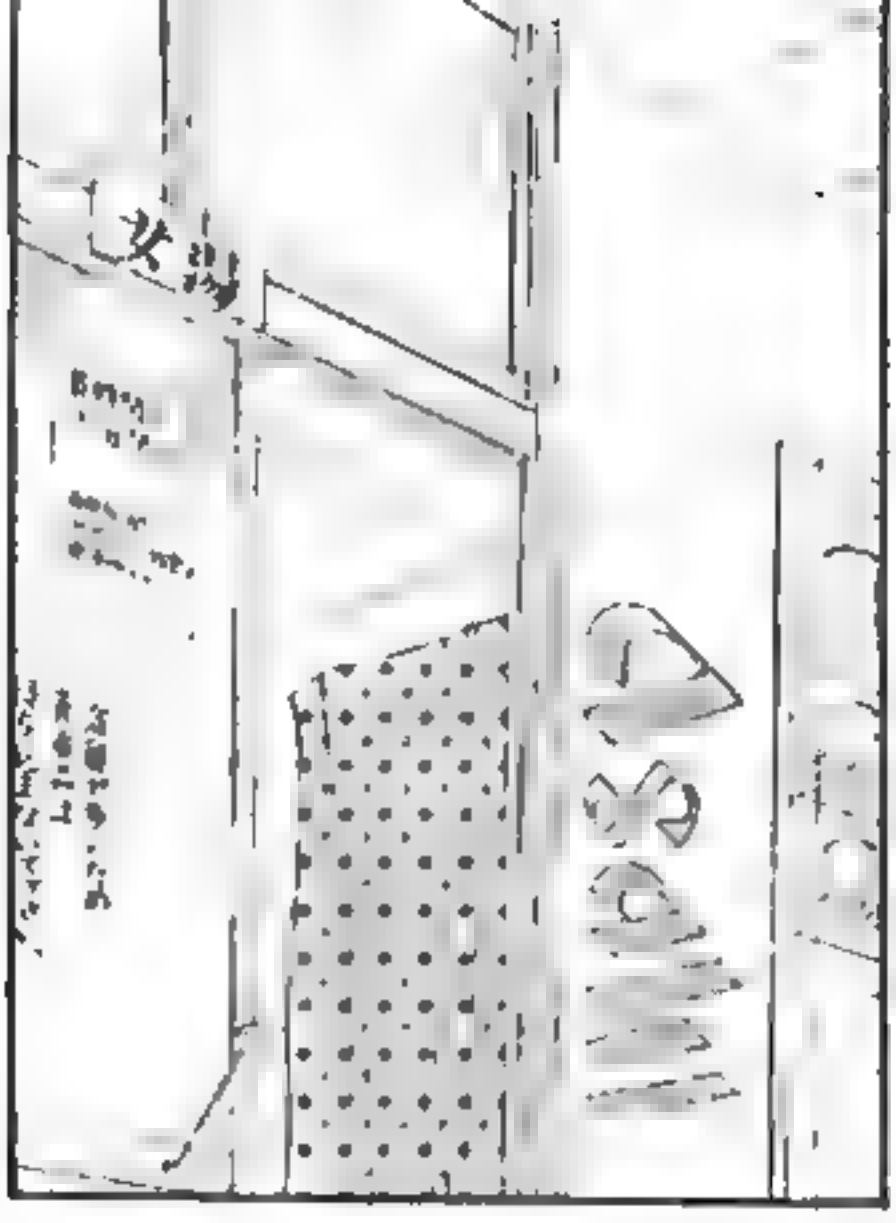
SCRATCH SCRATCH

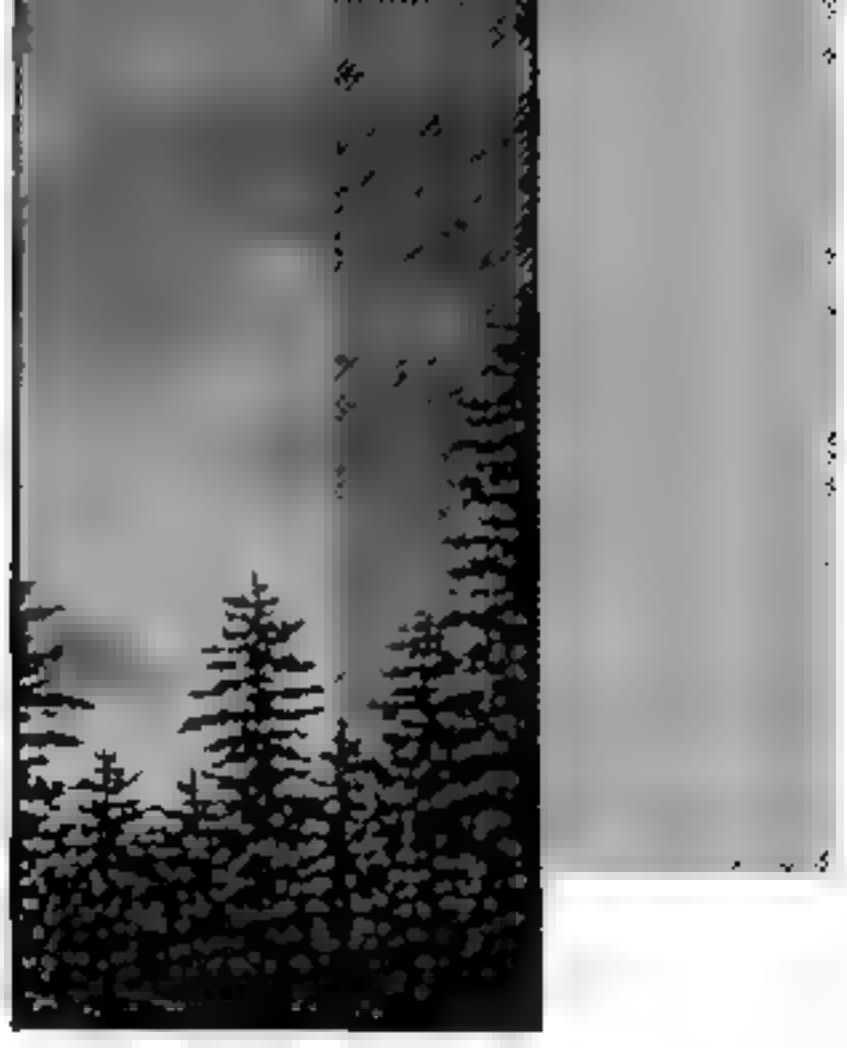
He scratched me!~

AGHH !!

Don't touch me!!!

MAWA-RGHHH !!





It's so nice

There's so many weirdos, this dorm is shifty and the cat is vicious...
I wonder if I can survive...
And there's no private showers in the rooms

EXHAUSTED

HEY...

FUKUSHIMA-SAN, WHAT CUP SIZE ARE YOU?

But Chiba Azusa-kun

He was so cute ♡...

AND THERE'S ONLY TWO OF US HERE.

WHAT ARE YOU SO EMBARRASSED ABOUT? WE'RE BOTH GIRLS!

SPLASH

FOHHH!?

NOOO!!

SO DON'T WORRY, NOBODY'S LISTENING~

EVERY DORM HAS IT'S SEPARATE BATHING TIME

Help me!!

WHY ISN'T ANYONE ELSE HERE WHEN IT'S A SCHOOL-WIDE BATHING AREA!?

HEY.

DID YOU GUYS JUST FINISH SHOWING YOU?

Hmm

Hm?

WHAT DID YOU DO, EMIKA?

I ONLY TOUCHED HER BOOBS A LITTLE BIT

IT WASN'T A LITTLE BIT!!!

* 108 roughly equals an American 208

70B.

BUT FUKU-SHIMA-SAN WOULDN'T TELL ME HER BOOB SIZE!!!

Come on!

YOU TWO, DON'T KEEP REPEATING THE WORD 'BOOB' IN FRONT OF US GUYS, OKAY?

KON

LEAVE MY BOOBS ALONE, PLEASE !!!

IT WAS ON THE GROUND.

AGH

FLAP FLAP

WH- WH- WH- WH- ...

SO I PICK-ED IT UP.

Haruka

SO I SAID IT WAS ON THE GROUND.

YOU KNOW WHAT?

B...

IF YOU'RE GONNA BLOW EVERYTHING OUT OF PROPORTION LIKE THAT,

I DON'T THINK YOU'LL MAKE IT IN THIS DORM.

BUT YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO...

YEAH, IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT CUP SIZE YOU ARE.

YOU CAN SHUT UP.

NO ONE CARES AS MUCH AS YOU THINK THEY DO.

WAS SHE REALLY THAT WORRIED ABOUT HER B-CUP SIZE?

Or was it because that bra wasn't her favourite piece of lingerie?

I THINK NAGISA WENT A BIT TOO FAR ...

Kitchen

FUKU-SHIMA-SAN SAID SHE DOESN'T WANT DINNER ...

I HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS!

Slapped me as hard as she could

silence...

NAGISA.

What do you mean, not care!?

Do the people in this dorm have even a fragment of decency!?

I can't be-lieve it!!

I can't be-lieve it...

I HATE THIS ...

GRRRCCCCOWL

CALLING

Kagawa Salom

09010101XXXX

Phone Call...

CLICK

I heard there were some shops around ...

THIS DORM IS THE WORST THING EVER!!

WHAT'S WRONG!?

bip

HEY, YUYA! LONG TIME NO TALK!

YOU GOOD?

HELLO ...

YOU GOT INTO THE DORM TODAY, RIGHT? HOW...

YOU GOTTA LISTEN TO THIS --!!!

It's not even on the school map!

FOR SOME REASON IT'S CO-ED!

AND IT'S IN THE MIDDLE OF NO-WHERE!

AND THE RESI-DENTS HERE ARE ALL JOKES !!

THEY HAVE THIS VICIOUS CAT AS A PET

HUH!?

I HATE THIS DORM !!

AND THE WORST POSSIBLE GUY...

IS NEXT DOOR TO ME ...

I WANT TO GO HOME!!

Oh no ...

HELLO

I'M SORRY

WE DIDN'T MEAN TO EAVES-DROP...

OH ...

UH ...

Y... YEAH ...

I SHOULD BE SORRY ..

IF YOU HATE IT HERE SO MUCH YOU SHOULD LEAVE

UM UM

I'M SOR-

I DON'T NEED YOUR DAMN APOLOGY!

GO HOME TO YOUR MOMMY AND DADDY.

NAGI-
SA!

This
is the
worst
...

D
a
S
H

FUKU-
SHIMA
!!

Whose fault do you think it is!?

What is that?

"NO ONE CARES AS MUCH AS YOU THINK THEY DO."

What is that?

"YOU SHOULD LEAVE."

But...

The worst person

IS

ME. I GUESS

FUKU-
SHIMA!

ARE YOU LEAVING?

I CAN'T GO HOME

I'M SORRY.

FUKU-SHIMA...

YOU SHOULD MAKE IT YOUR PRECIOUS HOME TOO.

FOR ALL OF YOU ...

THAT DORM MUST BE A PRECIOUS HOME.

STAY HERE.

NAGISA... AND EVERYONE ELSE.

THEY MIGHT BE A LITTLE OVER-THE-TOP SOMETIMES, BUT...

THEY'RE ALL NICE PEOPLE, SO I'M SURE YOU'LL COME TO LIKE THEM.

EVERYONE WAS EXCITED ABOUT YOU COMING HERE.

BUT...

PROBABLY HATES ME ALREADY

EVERY ONE...

PEOPLE WON'T HATE YOU THAT EASILY.

LET'S GO HOME.

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Takamatsu Nagisa

BANG

GHH!!

CLICK

SILENCE.....

He came out!!

OH.

UH.

UM...

I'M SORRY FOR WHAT I SAID EARLIER !!

IS THAT OKAY ?

I'D LIKE TO STAY HERE...

...AND...

UM...

WELL ...

I'M NOT DORM HEAD OR ANY-THING.

SO DO WHAT YOU WANT.

OH ... OKAY ...

YOU HAVEN'T EATEN DINNER, HAVE YOU.

.....

SLAM

THERE ARE LEFTOVERS IN THE KITCHEN.

IF YOU'RE HUNGRY, WHY DON'T YOU GO THERE AND GRAB SOME-THING?

Is that true ?

nice people

They're all

OH

FUKU-SHIMA-SAN!!

the idiot

I'M SORRY FOR EARL-IER --

OH, YOU'RE HUNGRY TOO?

So am I!

NAGISA WAS MAKING THEM JUST NOW.

For Fukushima

THIS...

WOW. I WANT SOME

OH. THAT WAS YOURS, THEN.

I, Fuku-shima Yuya,

start-ing today ...

...am an official member of Strawberry Dorm.

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I'M STILL OKAY ...

"HURRY UP AND EAT YOUR BREAK-FAST."

"COME ON, YUIYA."

GEEZ ...

IT'S NOT OKAY, IDIOT.

"YOU'LL BE LATE FOR SCHOOL."

...

MOM, YOU WORRY TOO MUCH ...

?

It's 6:45!

I'm not home!

SLEEPING IN, ARE YOU!?

YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO BE UP AT 6:30!!

TIME TO MEET AT THE ENTRANCE!

PIPIPI

you walking Oedipus complex

WHO'RE YOU CALLING MOM?

OH, BY THE WAY, YOUR DOOR WAS UNLOCKED.

DON'T FORGET TO LOCK IT BEFORE YOU GO TO SLEEP!

sorry for intruding by the way

.....

Oh yeahh !!!

I got into the Strawberry Dorm yesterday ...

Yeah, yeah!

And school starts today ...

WOWW!

YUYA, YOUR BRA IS SO CUTE!! ♡

your boobs

BUT THEY SAY IF YOU SLEEP WITH YOUR BRA ON, YOU WON'T GROW.

TRAA LA LA LA LA LA-

BRING YOUR ARMS UP, ABOVE OVER YOUR HEAD!

ALRIGHT!

ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR!

All the people in my dorm are weirdos.

And to top it off ...

FUOH

MORNING DOESN'T COME WITHOUT MORNING EXER-CISES.

Is there any meaning to waking up at 6:30 to do morning exercises?

Geez

STRETCH STRETCH.

.....

MOR-NING, FUKU-SHIMA.

PURRRR

OH.

LIC LIC

T-BAGG

M-MORNING.

!!

DID YOU GET ENOUGH SLEEP?

are you at (night?

HUH? OH, YEAH ...

SHE DIDN'T EVEN WAKE UP WHEN I GRABBED HER BOOBS! ♡

ACTUALLY, SHE WAS FAST ASLEEP.

like a log

MEEEOOOW

Michelle, you're house-sitting

HAVE A NICE TRIP.

See you soon

TIME ALREADY.

Oh

I'LL GO AHEAD.

CAN YOU PLEASE STOP THAT!?

OH, HE HAS TO PREPARE HIS SPEECH FOR THE OPENING CERE-MONIES.

Why is he going ahead?

DOES AZUSA-KUN HAVE SOME-THING ?

HM?

CHIBA AZUSA

YES.

SPEECH

Quiet !!

WOW ...

If he's the student rep, that means he was top of the class ..

THIS IS ACTUALLY PRETTY QUIET!

Unable to hear a word he's saying.

This was it, huh ...

KYAHH

I figured he'd be popular, but maybe not this much...

AZUSA-KUN WAS THE DORM PRESIDENT BACK IN MIDDLE SCHOOL.

WHEN HE DID HIS MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS, IT WAS CRAZY.

Dorm President -> Student Council President

ALMOST LIKE A POPSTAR CONCERT! ♡

AND HE'S SMART! HE MUST BE SENT FROM HEAVEN!

IT WORKS!

CHIBA-KUN IS SO CUTE ... ♡

School pop-star, huh?

HE DID ???

I WONDER WHY HE ENDED UP IN THE STUDENT-COUNCIL ROOM

ARE YOU SURE IT'S NOT JUST A DUPLICATE?

THE PRINCIPAL KEEPS GOING ON FOREVER!!!

I wonder what those slits mean...

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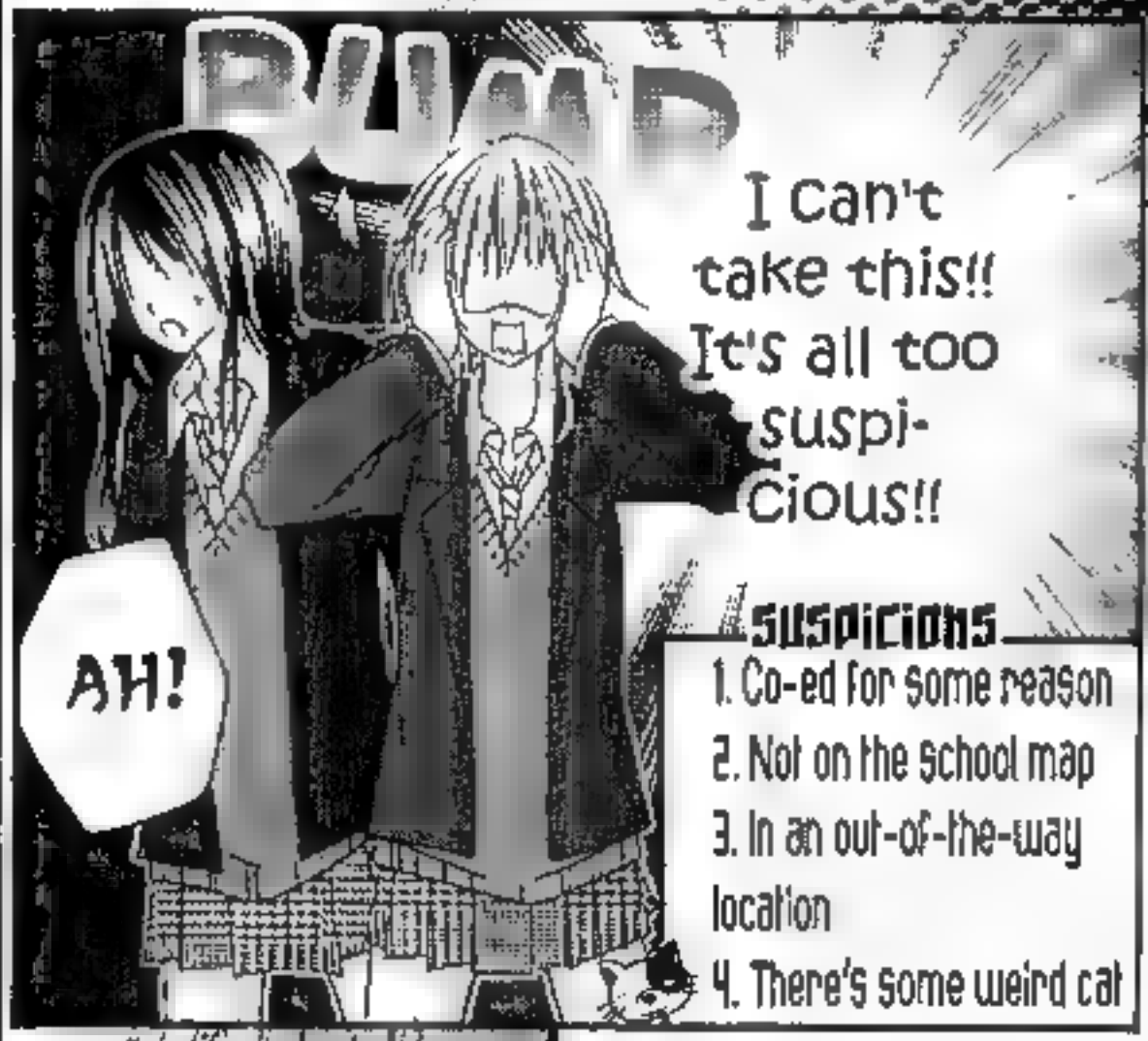
I'm sorry For those of you who aren't interested in games, but I'm going to be talking a little more about them

On the way home From reserving Kingdom Hearts II at a convenience store, I was in such a good mood I must've been humming aut loud or something, because I got laughed at by an old lady who passed me. She was looking at me like all, 'Oh my, you seem to be having so much fun.' I must've been radiating some kind of happy aura. Oh no, here I was wanting to be a sophusticated adult and I practically skipped down a public sidewalk! What kind of adult is that! But I coulan't help it, I was so happy

Yes. As soon as they released an official date for Kingdom Hearts II, I finally picked up Kingdom Hearts Chain of Memories and finished it It was great!! I'm satisfied

They even said girls would normally be in the White Peach dorm and boys in the Watermelon dorm.
I just know it, this dorm's not normal.
Why is there even a Strawberry dorm?


I can't take this!! It's all too suspi-cious!!
AH!
SUSPICIONS
1. Co-ed for some reason
2. Not on the school map
3. In an out-of-the-way location
4. There's some weird cat

Who is this beauty I m seeing —!?

AHHH, AME-CHAN!

LONG TIME NO SEE!

Wha

...

YOU JUST GOT HERE?

OPENING CERE-MONIES ENDED

SORRY

MY PA-RENTS WERE GIVING ME A HARD TIME

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Yes, I'm still planning to talk about KH

I wrote before in Saboten vol 3 that the cards were too complicated in Chain of Memories, but once I really understood it, it wasn't so bad I think I only really understood the system at the very end of the game Maybe if I'd figured out how to use the ♦ card earlier I would have finished it quicker Personally, I really liked the Riku side of the story Riku is so cool!! Sora's good too!! Since them both (+Kairi) couldn't meet again at the end of COM, I hope they meet again in KH II

HUH?
YEAH! SHE'S FUKUSHIMA YUYA-CHAN!
YOU MUST BE THE NEW STUDENT EVERYONE'S BEEN TALKING ABOUT?
NICE TO MEET YOU.
I'M YAMA-NASHI AME.
I HOPE WE GET A-LONG.
I WENT HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS, BUT I'M A RESIDENT OF THE STRAWBERRY DORM TOO.
WE HAVE TO GET TO CLASS SOON.
OH, RIGHT.
Nice to meet you.
She seems nor-mal ...!!
I didn't know they had them!

SIDE

HEY YUKA DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE GOING FOR AZUSA-KUN?

YUP!

AZUSA-KUN TOO?

HOW NICE THAT WE'RE ALL IN THE SAME CLASS

WHA- I NEVER SAID-

MURMUR

I DON'T WANT TO ANGER LUCIFER WITH THEM

WHO MADE THE GLASS (S'S?

WHO MADE THE GLASS (S'S?

KICK

Are you crazy, Father? Didn't you see us—?

You're exaggerating ☆

HUH?

UM...

I FEEL LIKE EVERYONE'S LOOKING AT US REALLY WEIRDLY ...

I FEEL A BAD VIBE.

I WONDER WHERE WE'RE SITTING?

SLIDE

Who

THERE SHOULD BE A SEATING PLAN ON THE TEACHER'S DESK...

There it is

OH—

DO YOU KNOW WHERE EMI'S SEAT IS?

Hm?

It's so quiet

OH, AZUSA-KUN!

古野沢
湯川和田
山崎茜依
宮城六条
水戸与田
三浦米山

AND

FUMIYA SHIMA, YOU'RE OVER THERE

EMI, YOUR SEAT IS THE SECOND SEAT IN THE SECOND ROW FROM THE WINDOW.

CLUNK

I'M HERE

Wha-

Be-
side
me?

I HOPE WE HAVE A GOOD YEAR

Look at me. I'm being a creep ...

I can almost smell the faint scent of Azusa-kun...

SNIFF

So closer

So closer

Fuoh!

FLINCH

MUMBLE

YOU CREEP

NOW MOVING ON TO REGULAR CLASS

THAT ENDS OUR HOME-ROOM.

JERK!

Agnh!!!

HUH ?

MIYAGI, YOU...

SHARE WITH THE PERSON BESIDE YOU.

AH!

I FOR-GOT MY TEXT-BOOK!

CAN YOU SHARE WITH ME?

Huh ?

THANK GOD!

HMPH!

Did he...

just 'click' his tongue...!?

It isn't just me...

Does it have something to do with the Strawberry dorm?

and only towards us...

Why is everyone so mean?

EMI-KA!?

!?

CLICK

B-b-b-
BLOOD
!?

SHE JUST FELL FROM GETTING HIT IN THE HEAD.

EMI-KA!

ARE YOU AL-RIGHT !?

DRIP

WHAT ...

SHE'S IN THE WAY. CAN YOU GET HER OUT OF HERE?

Huh ?

SHE'S CONSCIOUS.

EMI-KA.

CAN YOU STAND ?

NGH ...

OH NOOOO

EMI-KA.

What did she just ...

ARE YOU ALRIGHT ?

FUKUSHIMA.

GOT IT.

KON, YOU CARRY EMIKA.

I'LL BRING IT.

I HAVE A TOWEL OVER THERE.

WE CAN'T RESTART OUR GAME

AND YOU CAN YOU HURRY AND GET OFF THE COURT TOO?

OH.

I'M FINE ...

WAIT A MIN-UTE !!

A CLASS-MATE JUST GOT SERI-OUSLY INJURED!!

LET'S GO FUKU-SHIMA

DON'T YOU THINK YOU SHOULD DO SOMETHING BEFORE RESTARTING THE GAME!?

WHY —

IS IT BECAUSE WE'RE IN THE STRAW-BERRY BORN'?

EVEN BACK THERE IN CLASS —

FUKU-SHIMA

WHAT!?

LET'S GET YOU TO THE INFIR-MARY.

.....

Let me down, you idiot!

IT'S NOT AS BAD AS IT LOOKS.

BUT JUST IN CASE, REST HERE FOR A WHILE.

PHEW

THANK YOU NAGISA, AZUSA-KUN AND YUYA.

OKAY

YOU THREE GO BACK.

I'LL STAY WITH HER.

OKAY

DON'T. YOU GUYS THINK IT'S WEIRD?

YUYA --?

?

WHAT IS IT ABOUT THIS DORM !?

THIS ISN'T NORMAL ..

THEY TREAT US DIFFERENTLY ALMOST LIKE IT'S BECAUSE WE'RE FROM THE STRAW-BERRY DORM

SHUT UP.

!!

DON'T GO SNOOPING AROUND

SO WHAT IF WE'RE WEIRD, HUH?

NAGI-
SA!

BOP

AME-
CHAN
!!

WHAT'S
GOING
ON?

I just got here the other day...

I don't know what goes on around here.

And he didn't tell me anything!

I think I have a right to know!

YOU THERE.

WE HAVE SOME-THING TO SAY TO YOU

to the dorm

I WONDER IF FUKUSHIMA WILL GET BACK HOME ALONE ALRIGHT...

WHO KNOWS.

IF SHE GETS LOST, IT'S HER FAULT FOR GOING AHEAD.

SHE BROUGHT IT ON HERSELF.

That doesn't

LOOK!

...NAGISA.

YOU TRANS-FERRED HERE, DIDN'T YOU?

YOU'RE A NEW FACE

I FEEL SORRY FOR YOU THAT YOU HAD TO BE IN THAT DORM.

BUT NEWBIES LIKE YOU SHOULD LAY LOW WITH THE ATTITUDE.

HAH!

YOU DON'T KNOW ANY-THING, DO YOU?

G-G-G-GO-KKY!!

HUH!?

B-

BUT WHY

Yank

WE DON'T WANT TO ASSOCIATE WITH PEOPLE FROM THAT SHITTY DORM OF YOURS.

DO YOU GET IT NOW?

DON'T EVER GIVE US THAT ATTITUDE AGAIN.

GOOD.

I DON'T WANT TO ASSOCIATE WITH YOU EITHER.

SLAP

WHOOSH

DO YOU WANT TO GET BEATEN UP!?

WHAT!?

WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY?

ISE

CHIBA-KUN!?

WHAT ...

ARE YOU ALL DOING —?

WELL ...

NO-THING REALLY ...

RIGHT?

DO YOU HAVE SOME-THING TO SAY.TO OUR FUKU-SHIMA?

GIRLS SHOULDN'T DO SUCH A SAD THING.

sparkle

sparkle

SOB...

I'M SORRY YOU HAD TO DEAL WITH THIS, BECAUSE OF OUR DORM.

...IS IT BECAUSE OF THAT AFTER ALL?

YOU'RE TOO COOL--!! DASH

CHIBA-KUN, YOU PRINCE !!!

WHAT THE HELL?

ARE YOU AL-RIGHT ?

NUH ?

AZU-SA-KUN !!

Wh- What am I doing?

.....

UM

WELL, SINCE I LIVE AT THE STRAW-BERRY DORM TOO!

AND -

SINCE I'M THE ONLY ONE THAT DOESN'T KNOW ...

I'M NOT BEING NOSY OR ANYTHING!

WHY DOESN'T ANYONE WANT TO ASSOCIATE WITH US !?

TELL ME!

IS THERE SOME-THING ABOUT THE STRAW-BERRY DORM?

KIND OF SAD ...

IT MAKES ME...

.....

THE STRAW-BERRY DORM ...

I SHOULD HAVE TOLD YOU.

YOU'RE RIGHT.

huh?

Ummm

FOR EXAMPLE, PEOPLE WHO'VE CAUSED PROB-LEMS ...

Caused problems

IS A DORM FOR PEOPLE WHO CAN NO LONGER STAY IN A REGULAR ONE.

GET OUTTA HERE!! YOU'RE GOING TO THE STRAWBERRY DORM!!

TOO STU-PID

VIOLET

AAA!

HUH ?

...DO YOU HATE IT NOW?

NO ...

I WAS SURPRISED, THOUGH.

But ... what about Azu-sa-kun and Ame-chan?

It works !!

It all fits !!

?

I STILL WANT TO BE IN THE STRAWBERRY DORM MORE THAN ANYWHERE ...

BUT PERSON-ALLY ...

... ELSE.

THANK YOU.

DASH

I LEFT SOME-THING IN CLASS! I'M GONNA GO GET IT!!

OH!!

FUKU-SHIMA!

HUH!?

YEAH, I'M FINE!!

I'LL BE WAITING HERE

LET'S GO HOME TOGE-THER

Whoosh

Every time I [illegible] Akira [illegible] my heart beats faster.

Since yester-day...

What's wrong with me?

Why?

.....

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My heart beats faster
when I'm around Azusa-kun.
This feeling must be...

It must be love.
SO IT WAS JUST ME.
I SAID GOOD MORNING.
HUH!?
?
PANIC
PANIC
PANIC
WAS I SAYING THIS OUT LOUD...?
HUH!?
W-WAIT, WHA-?

rub rub
REALLY HARD!!
YEAH, I TRIED HARDER TODAY!
OH..
It's just past 6:30.
YOU'RE EARLY, FUKUSHIMA.
I WAS WORRIED BECAUSE I HEARD YOU OVERSLEPT YESTERDAY.
HAHA
REALLY HARD, HUH?
Love...
aagh!
This makes me blush!
Huh.

Choo
Choo
OH, NAGISA
MORNING
GW
STRAY HAIR.
That little ...!
heh
MORNING
YUYA.
OH.

I'M SORRY. I LASHED OUT AT YOU LIKE THAT.
NOW YOU GUYS ARE FRIENDS AGAIN.
What's
a lot of a sudden
GOOD.
REALLY!? DO YOU THINK SO!?
Did ne
I've seen

Hey
What's with that change in attitude?
Now breathe in deeply...
What's he scheming -?
Morning exercises
Spagetti
You know the English dictation translations
out of range

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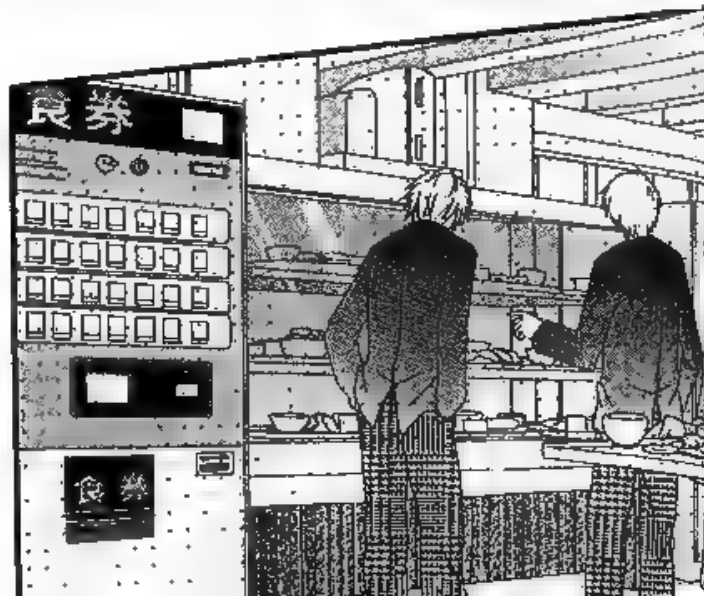
I had a lot of work to do so I tried to refrain from playing KH2, but I did a little bit (oh please). The beginning made me feel really satisfied to have cleared KHCoM. All the characters were ones that appeared in KHCoM, and the opening movie also went with KHCoM's storyline. Since I'd cleared CoM, I was really excited to watch the opening. I was all "oooh!!" (like the the part where Sora and Riku are climing up the spiral staircase), but I think it might've been a confusing opening for those people who hadn't cleared it. Needless worrying, I know. But right now I just want to continue playing the game. I wanna play--!! I wanna play--!! (cry) I hope I've cleared it by the time this book comes out. The end to my long game review.



creak
I'M GONNA GO GET A DRINK
WHAT DO YOU GUYS WANT?
crack
OH NO
Once I know I like him...
He looks even more beautiful...
I'LL TAKE OOLONG TEA...
PEACH SODA!
COKE!!
GREEN TEA.
FIRE
FIRE
HOW ABOUT YOU, FUKUSHIMA?
UMM.
I'LL TAKE...

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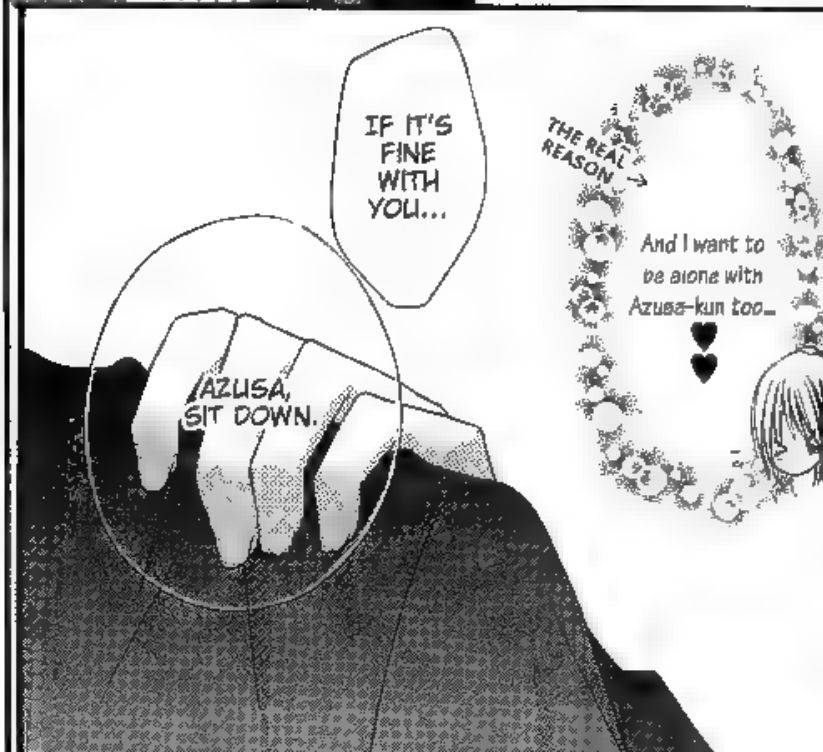
I was so excited about this very first volume, I got carried away with gaming talk. Sorry, (sweatdrop) Let's talk about Love Berrish! It seems the short form of "Love Berrish" translates into "LoveBeri". Hmmmm I see.

Since the heroine in my last series wasn't cute at all, this time I tried to make her as cute as possible. But she turned out just as normal as everyone else. I wonder why... And I tried to make the title as cute as possible and named it that way, but my older sister was all "what kind of title is that?". Hmph. I don't care.



I'LL GO.
WITH YUYA
GRAB
!?
LET'S GO THEN.
Wha...?
I WONDER IF NAGISA'S TAKEN A LIKING TO YUYA---♡
.....
What the...
Wh-
Wh-
DRAG
DRAG
DRAG
DRAG

7

Michelle La France.

This lazy-looking cat is LoveBerri's mascot, "Mu-chan". People who know me all say this cat resembles me a lot. Resembles me? How?

This cat is pretty hard to draw, even though it doesn't look like it. Her design concept was "ugly-cute", but if I take a wrong step it just turns into "ugly", so I have to tread carefully every time.

But one of my assistants is really good at drawing Mu-chan. She draws her cuter than me! I'd like to show you in around volume 2 or so.

What the hell!?
PEACH SODA.
COKE.
OOLONG TEA.
ISN'T
WHAT A PAIN IN THE ASS.
THEN DON'T COME!!
Geez, why do we have to go all the way to the new building?

What's been up with him since this morning?
There goes my plan to be alone with Azusa-kun...
How dare he--
Is it his way of friendship? Some kind of twisted affection?
we should try to get along...
Well, I guess since we'll be living together,
TA-
TAKAMATSU-KUN.
HOP
Okay.
WHAT'RE YOU HAVING TO DRINK?

step step step
YOU...
YOU LIKE AZUSA, DON'T YOU?
!?
HE LIKES SOY MILK.
CLINK CLINK
PANIC
HUH!?
WHY!?
WHA
HUH!?
PANIC

HERE
YOU'RE HELPING ME?
He's so near

I was stupid for thinking of him like an enemy!
Of course, he made me onigiri last time!
He's a good person after all!
Good friends are good to have!
SORRY FOR THE WAIT--!!
TUMP
HERE, AZUSA-KUN.
.....
SOY MILK IS GOOD, ISN'T IT?
YEAH
THANKS.

...AZUSA-KUN LIKES SOY MILK, DOESN'T HE?
...EMIKA.
AZUSA-KUN, YOU CAN DRINK SOY MILK NOW?
HUH--?
NO, HE HATES IT.
right--? ☺
FREE
ELE
SORRY.
.....
WHA
REALLY?
SORRY.

Huh?
Didn't he just tell me...
But...
I'M SORRY ...
MY BAD. ♡
CRASH

Did he really make a mistake...?
But is he
But Azusa-kun said he's a good person at heart...
WE'RE GONNA PLAY TABLE TENNIS IN THE REC ROOM JOIN US!?
YUMA
DONG
DONGGG
Recreation Room

WAIT...
WHERE'S AZUSA-KUN?
I BROUGHT YUMA ♡
Let's make a chart!
LET'S MAKE IT A TOURNA-MENT! ♪
ALRIGHT --!!
I SEE...
I THINK AZUSA'S STILL AT SCHOOL
HE'LL PROBABLY BE HOME BY DINNER.
Can we play on a regular table?
YAY~
Store
Oh, but Takamatsu-kun calls him "Azusa" too.
hahaha
Ame-chan
Azusa-k
"Azus
everyone else calls him "Azusa-kun"
"PEOPLE CALL EA
VERY C USE
AFRIEND OR CHILDHOOD FRIEND

WHAT THE HELL IS UP WITH YOU--!?
AZUSA AGAIN?
OKAY AP
KYAHH--!!
YOU KNEW I LIKED AZUSA-KUN AND YOU DID THAT!!
YOU DO!?
IT'S WAS ON PUR-POSE, WASN'T IT!?
THAT SOY MILK WAS ON PUR-POSE!!
IF YOU WANT TO SAY SOMETHING, SAY IT TO MY FACE!!
WHY!?
DID I DO SOME-THING WRONG!?

I DO...
HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY.
AH.
GRAB
BUT I WON'T SAY IT.
BEHHHHH
YEAH! LET'S GET THE GAME STARTED!!
ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT!!
FIGHTING IS BAD, KIDS!!
I got a Little Bear ping pong set, from Junko chan
Tsuki Fujimiya

I'M CHALLENGING YOU!
RIGHT NOW. TABLE TENNIS.
IF I WIN, YOU HAVE TO SPIT EVERYTHING OUT.
THAT WAS SUDDEN ...
FUKUSHIMA
NAGISA ISN'T THE TYPE TO...

BUT, TO BE FAIR..
IF I WIN
YOU'LL LISTEN TO WHATEVER I SAY, RIGHT?
HE'S GOING TO DO IT!
BRING IT.
The type to take any fight that's brought.

HAH!!
WOW..
HA HA HA HA !!!
I'M SUR-PRISED
WOW, YUYA'S AMAZING!!
SHE'S KEEPING UP WITH A GUY!!
HAH!!

Idiot!!
I don't pick fights that I don't win!
I can't get the same point
I didn't think it'd be this bad...
After watching Ping Pong!!
This is what I've perfected for three years in middle school!!!
I don't care if it's a guy, I'm not going to lose to an amateur!!
But...
If I don't get this serve, I can't win...
FINALLY ON A ROLL
KYOHOHOHOHO
What's up with her?
There's no way...
the heroine.

HUH!?
LOOK
YOUR BRA'S SHOWING.
.....
YUYA.
BOUNCE BOUNCE BOUNCE
roll...
HOLD ON A MINUTE---!!!
WOOOO!!
NAGISA WINS--!!

PISSED OFF
It's table tennis!
NO IT ISN'T.
YOU CAN PLAY DIRTY, IT'S A FIGHT.
THAT WAS DIRTY!!
DASH
THAT'S NOT GOOD ENOUGH!!
C'MERE A MINUTE!!
HUHH-P
YES IT DID.
THAT DIDN'T COUNT, DID IT?

IT'S YOUR FAULT FOR FALLING FOR IT.
Oh well.
YOU DON'T CALL THAT FINISHING!!
ISN'T IT OBVIOUS??
WHAT? WE FINISHED THE GAME, DIDN'T WE?
Oh...

WHY ARE YOU SO MEAN TO ME!?
!
WHY...
KEEP YOUR PROMISE.

WHA...
IT'S ANNOYING ...
TAK

FROM HERE ON OUT...
STAY AWAY FROM HIM.

I DON'T WANT TO LIVE IN THAT ROOM ANYMORE?

MORE LIKE, I DON'T WANT TO LIVE BESIDE TAKAMATSU NANASA.

THE THOUGHT OF ME LIVING BESIDE THAT KIND OF GUY, DRIVES ME CRAZY!!

YOU WANT TO CHANGE YOUR ROOM?

I can't stand just hearing a sound from him!!

YOU CAN'T CHANGE YOUR ROOM.

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN MY LIFE THAT I FEEL LIKE KILLING SOMEONE.

BUT I'M NOT INTERESTED IN B-CUPS.

Ask me "not to go near Azusa"?

HAH!

You'll just have to settle this kind of kid's fight yourself

Why?!

EHH!?

Has been "hiding" since earlier

Flat palm

It's a waste of my time to care about his strange actions!

Ignore him!!

Just ignore him!!

But I don't think Yuya saw him

I CAN SEE HIM CLEARLY

FUKUSHIMA

THAT LOOKS HEAVY! LET ME HELP YOU WITH HALF OF IT!

THANKS

This is the best idea ever!!

Azusa-kun!

YOU DIDN'T PASS IT IN?

CORRECT

I COULDN'T COPY IN TIME AND THE BLACKBOARD WAS ERASED

IS THIS THE HISTORY WORKBOOKS?

YES.

AH

THIS IS THE HOMEWORK I DIDN'T PASS IN.

IF YOU NEED IT, I CAN LEND YOU MINE IF YOU WANT?

CAN I!?

YES.

AZUSA-KUN'S HAND-WRITTEN NOTES!!

Must be careful not to let a nosebleed drop onto it!!

Thud

Thud

ONCE I GET IT BACK, I'LL...

RUSTLE...

I THINK THE TEACHER WILL RETURN THE NOTES TO US BEFORE SCHOOL ENDS TOMORROW.

!?

....Hm?

Hahaha

G

I ASKED YOU NOT TO GO NEAR AZURA-KUNI

KEEP YOUR PERVERTED

I DON'T NEED TO

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING?

THEN...

WHY DON'T YOU SAY IT CLEARLY?!

shiver

WHY DID YOU ASK ME NOT TO GO NEAR HIM?

I LIKE AZUSA-KUN, BUT HOW DOES THAT BOTHER YOU...?

WITH NO DECENT REASON, HOW CAN I AGREE TO IT...

IF I TELL YOU, WILL YOU STOP LIKING HIM?

THAT'S SOMETHING I CAN'T PROMISE

OHHH

YOU DON'T WANT TO GIVE UP ON HIM, YET YOU WANT TO KNOW WHY?

?

BE TEETING OTHER PEOPLE'S CONDITIONS YET HOPING THAT THINGS WILL GO YOUR WAY.

DO YOU THINK YOU'RE THE DAUGHTER OF A RICH FAMILY WITH THAT KIND OF ATTITUDE?

AHHHHHH..

DON'T TOUCH ME!!

SMACK

WHATEVER! YOU CAN DO WHATEVER THE HELL YOU'D LIKE!

STOMP STOMP STOMP

AND I'M GONNA DO THIS SAME!

I'VE MOVED.

Sometime inbetween Sakotan and Love Battle, I moved. My room's a lot more spacious now. There are a lot of shops around the place and I'm really satisfied with the choice I've made. Kudos to me!

When the moving people came to appraise my place, for some reason they guessed off-the-bat that I was a mangaka. I was surprised.

BIG-NAME MANGAKA
LIKE ** SAN AND **-SAN...
MOVE
WE'VE ACTUALLY HELPED A LOT OF MANGAKAS MOVE IN THE PAST.
DOESN'T WANT TO SAY
WHAT MAGAZINE DO YOU WRITE AT?

I'm a no-name mangaka, after all.

THIS IS FOR YOU.

I PHOTO-COPIED A SET OF MY NOTES BEFORE HANDING IT IN TO THE TEACHER

THE PHOTO-COPIED SET OF NOTES FOR HISTORY

THIS IS

AZUSA-KUN!

I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU

SINCE YOU DISAPPEARED ALL OF A SUDDEN.

THE TEACHER SAYS AS LONG AS YOU HAND IN BEFORE TOMORROW MORNING, HE'LL MARK IT.

THANK YOU!

No problem

Really?

I'm going to make this my heirloom

WHOOOA! SUCH BEAUTI-FUL HAND-WRITING~

Ahh!

Doesn't want to be nice to him anymore

That's (lol)

IT'S OKAY.

OH YEAH, I'M SORRY!?

I LEFT THE WORK-BOOKS ON THE FLOOR AND DISAP-PEARED ...!!

BUT IT'S ALL NAGISA'S FAULT!

I'M REALLY SORRY~

BUT IF YOU'RE GOING TO ASK ME WHY I WOULDN'T REALLY BE ABLE TO...

THAT'S RIGHT!!

NAGISA?

AHAH!?

I FOUND YUYA AND AZUSA-

OVO

GAH

!?

THAT AZUSA-KUN WAS NEARBY?

I DON'T THINK IT'S POSSIBLE, BUT COULD IT BE

YESTERDAY EVENING!! DURING THAT TIME!!

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU

IT'S AMAZING THAT YOU DON'T NOTICE

.....

HOW WOULD I KNOW?

HMPH

?

COVER

AZUSA.

WHY, DON'T YOU ASK HIM YOUR-SELF?

DID YOU SEE YUYA AND I KISS?

YESTERDAY EVENING,

EHH?!

WHAT'S THAT? WHAT'S THAT? EMI DIDN'T SEE!?

EH?!

!?

YOU SAW IT!

AZUSA-KUN, YOU SAW IT!?

IT'S NOT LIKE THAT, I DIDN'T SEE IT ON PURPOSE...

Emika

SO WHAT IF IT'S TRUE?

NYAH!!

MYAAAW!

!!!

IT WAS JUST A COINCI-DENCE...

(Wow I'm so jealous!

SO YOU TWO ARE GOING OUT?

SO WHAT...

NOTHING WRONG WITH IT, BUT..

AZUSA-KUN!

THAT IS-

GOOD LUCK TO YOU BOTH

SORRY

I HAVE TO

YUMA YOU'RE SO MEAN

YOU WON'T TELL EMMA ANYTHING ABOUT IT!

.....

YUYA?

HMM

I KNEW YOU'D SAY THAT.

THAT'S WHAT
-AT ABOUT

NO ENTRY

THERE IS
STILL SOME
TIME BEFORE
THEY JOIN
THE FIGHT

YOU'RE
NOT AL-
LOWED TO
ENTER
HERE

ACTUALLY IT'S JUST BECAUSE I'M IN THE STRAWBERRY DORM THAT HE TREATED ME SO NICELY.

HUH?

A'JISA-KUN IS VERY NICE TO ME, SO IT GAVE ME ALL THE WRONG IDEAS.

girls who are head over

THERE'S NO HELPING IT.

EVEN IF MY FEELINGS FOR HIM ARE MORE THAN THE FEELINGS WHICH A DORM MATE WOULD HAVE FOR HIM

After my move I attended a summer event for Ribon and I had set up a "scribble board" where visitors could write whatever they wanted, and there I found a message that I think was written by the daughter and wife of the courier person I wrote about in the column in Sabaten volume 2! I really think it might be them!!

Dear Ms. Haruta,
We hear you've moved!
My husband says he feels somewhat empty because he hasn't seen you! I wish you all the luck (out of) ...

TH THIS MUST BE !!

HARUTA

Yes, I've moved, *da-san. I didn't think my move would put me out of your delivery zone since it's only one station over, but I guess it's changed. Thanks for all those deliveries you've made for me over the course of the year! Sorry for being a household with so many deliveries. And please thank your daughter for the rice crackers! - ^ ^

I liked you a lot

I can't

do anything anymore

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING!!

HEY!

THOSE IS THE NOTES THAT AZUSA-KUN ESPECIALLY PRINTED FOR ME!!

ISN'T IT OKAY?

YOU GAVE UP ON HIM ANYWAY.

WHY YOU!!

WHY SHOULD I BE SCOLDED BY YOU!!

YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S FULL OF SHIT!!

IT'S YOU WHO GOT IN THE WAY!!

Whose fault do you think it is!

HOW ARE YOU DIFFERENT FROM THEM?

IF YOU ARE,

IF YOU WERE NO DIFFERENT THAN AZUSA-KUN'S FANS,

THEN I WOULDN'T HAVE INTERRUPTED.

RUSTLE

!!

THEN DON'T STAND THERE SAYING DEPRESSING THINGS.

OTHERWISE I HAVE NOTHING TO INTERFERE WITH.

. AND YET

Is he getting in my way?

Is he encouraging me?

Which is it?

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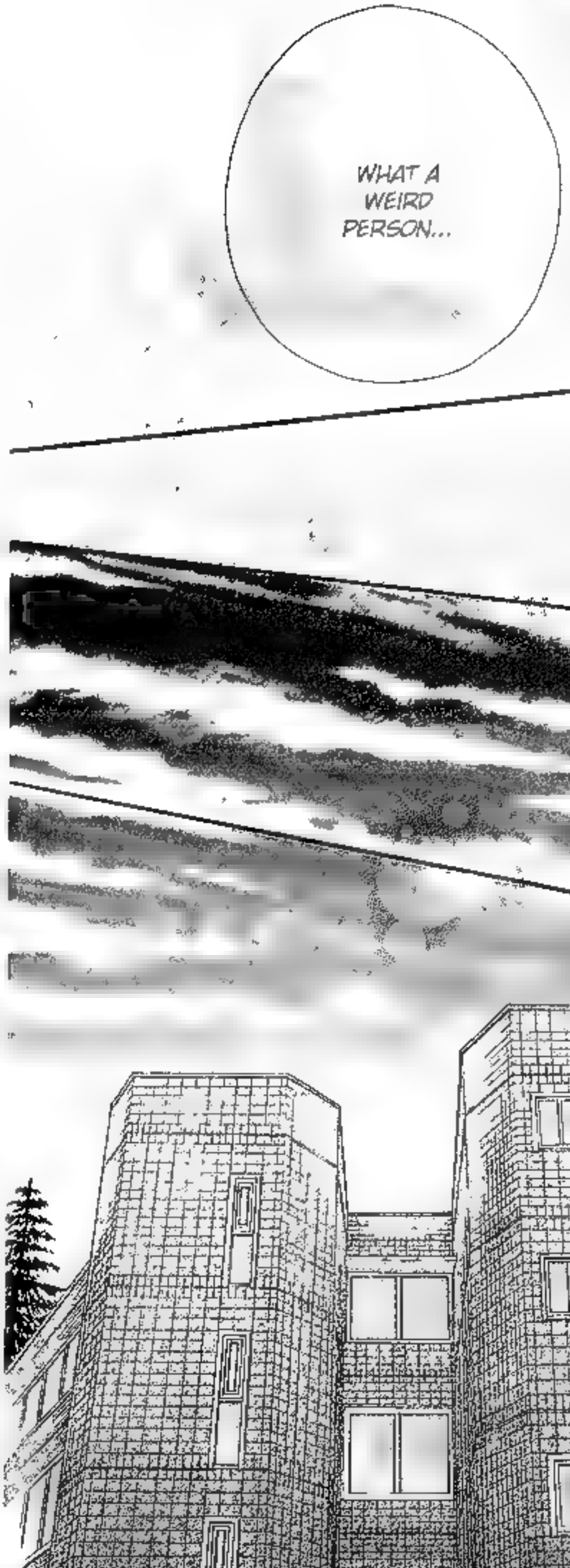
Oh yes, and thanks to everyone who attended the talkshow and signing at the event! I have always been very, very nervous presenting in front of people. In elementary school on days when I would have to do the morning exercises I would seriously contemplate not going to school that day, one month in advance. I'd go to sleep with my midriff bare hoping I'd catch a cold (yes I'm stupid). Ten minutes before that talkshow, my stomach was in knots. Though people tell me on the outside I don't look that nervous. My editor said "you're a whole new person when you step up on stage." R-Really? You think so? Well, I don't act like my usual self, that's for sure (laugh). If I were to act like I do all the time on stage, I'd get booed off. They'd probably be all, "don't give me that crap!" But regardless, if people enjoyed it even a little, it would make me tremendously happy.



AH, WHAT HAPPENED? WHY ARE YOU LIKE THAT!!

YOU'RE BACK...

You're soaking wet!!

EH?

AH .. UM...

FUKUSHIMA!!

JUMP

THE NOTES YOU GAVE ME DROPPED INTO THE POOL..

THE NOTES?

BUT IT'S OKAY!! I PICKED THEM ALL UP ALREADY THOUGH!!

AUAUAUAU

?!

THEY GOT A LITTLE CRUMPLED..

SORRY

IT'S GOOD THAT YOU'RE BACK.

AFTER THAT I DIDN'T GET TO SEE YOU EVEN ONCE.

WELCOME BACK.

I'M NOT DATING NAGISA!!

AND WE DIDN'T KISS! REALLY!!

AZUSA-KUN!

AH.

AND HE'S CLOSE BY

BUT.

I DO HAVE SOMEONE

I LIKE

BANG

AFTERWARDS I'LL GO EAT WITH ALL OF YOU, OKAY!!

AH! I'M GONNA GO CHANGE!

CLOSE BY?

My feelings are not the kind that will give up easily

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That's right

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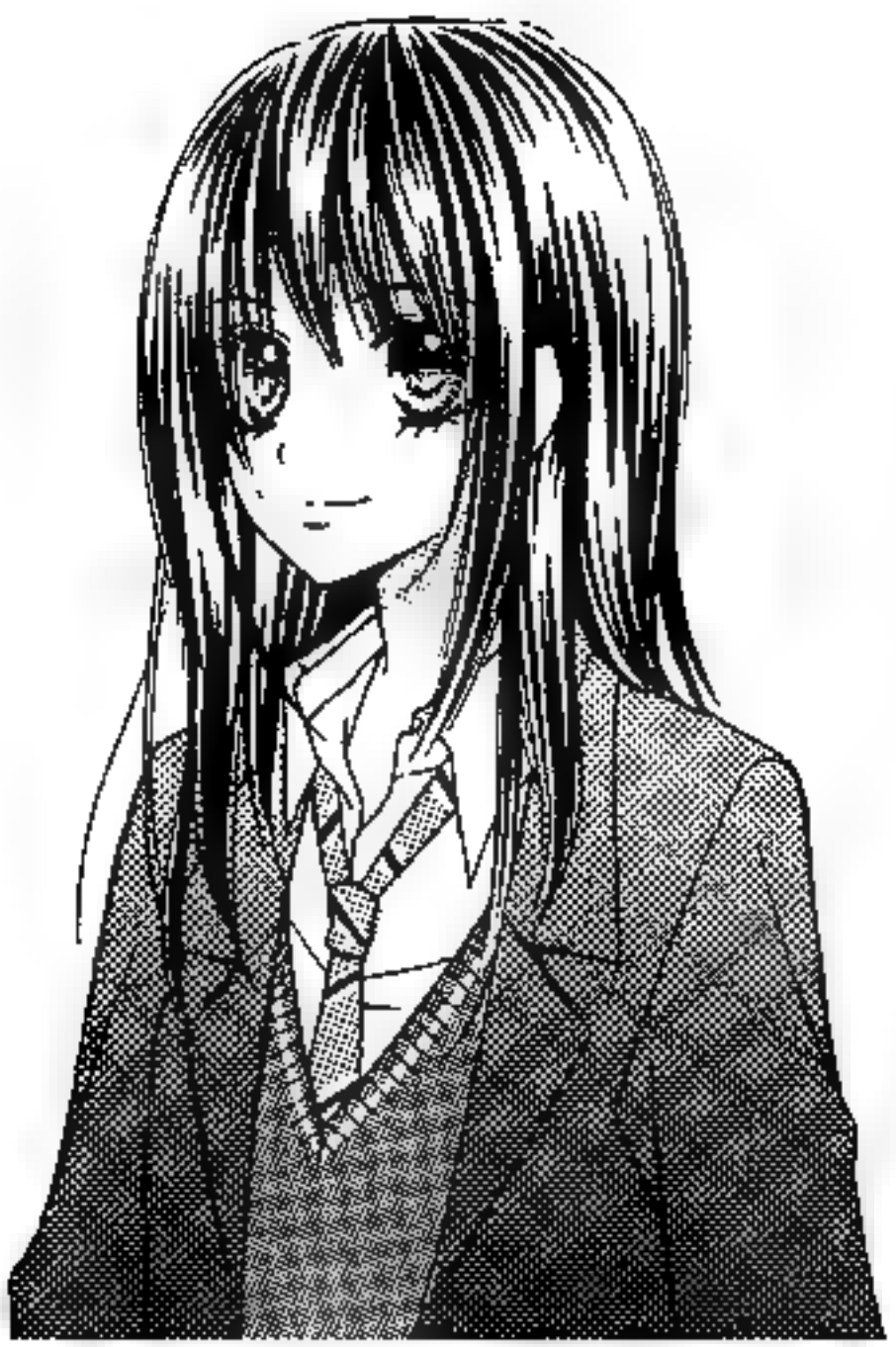

Because whoever you date doesn't matter to me. Fukushima. ♡

I'll root for you.

Fufufu

Could that...

Mean this?

Fufufu

Fufufu

Fufufu

LRRR RATTLE RATTLE

LRRR RATTLE RATTLE

PFFT!

.....

ROOT FOR ME? FINE BY ME, YOU JERK!!

BUT I'M GONNA DO MY BEST! I WANNA SEE YOU DO THAT!

LRRR RATTLE

LRRR RATTLE

LRRR RATTLE

I REALLY WISH I HADN'T COME JUST NOW.

YEAH.

AH!

DO YOU WANT TO DO LAUNDRY AS WELL?

...I'M WASHING ...

What a nasty guy!

.....

YOUR TOWEL RIGHT NOW. I'LL GIVE IT BACK TO YOU ONCE IT'S DRY.

OH YEAH?

I DON'T WANT TO THANK YOU.

FROM THE BEGINNING, IT WAS ENTIRELY YOUR FAULT.

BUT...

I WON'T BE SWAYED BECAUSE OF YOUR INTERFERENCE ANYMORE!! HOWEVER!!

I WON'T GIVE UP NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO TO ME!

USE WHATEVER TRICKS YOU HAVE UP YOUR SLEEVES!!

THANKS.

I WAS WONDERING WHY IT WAS SO LOUD IN HERE.

HAHA

AZUSA-KUN!

SO IT'S YOU TWO.

EH?

BEEP

BEEP

ACK!

YOUR WASHING MACHINE STOPPED, RIGHT, FUKUSHIMA?

Yuki-chan

Hi see

So he won't get in my way anymore

This is great
Case closed

BEEP

BEEP

BEEP

HOLD ON!!

What's that about!?

...Hey!

GEAR F

Stare

I just don't get him!

He suddenly pulled me to him like that...

I'm friggin sleepy!

So.

In the end, what did he want to do...?

DON'T TELL ME... LOVE!?

THAT DAMN GIRL DARED TO GET ALL STICKY TO AZUSA

NOW ANNOYING!! AZUSA IS TROUBLED!

I'M COMMA EXORCISE THAT EVIL SPIRIT

I GUESS HE DOESN'T WANT ME TO GET CLOSE TO AZUSA-KUN?

JUST WHAT'S AZUSA-KUN TO HIM ?

SOMEHOW I HAVE THE FEELING THAT I'M BEING HORRIBLY MISUNDERSTOOD

WHAT?

IF IT'S SOMEONE ELSE YOU DON'T MIND TALKING ABOUT TO YOU...

EH?

BUT HE SAID HE'D LET IT GO EVEN THOUGH MY FEELINGS ARE SO EARNEST

NO

!!

MISS NATSUKA ACADEMY CONTEST

THEY'RE ALREADY PUTTING UP POSTERS FOR THE "MISS CONTEST"!

HEY, HEY, LOOK!

YOU DON'T KNOW BECAUSE YOU JUST TRANSFERRED HERE THIS YEAR, RIGHT?

WHAT'S THAT?

MISS NATSUKA ACADEMY CONTEST

MISS NATSUKA ACADEMY CONTEST

At the signing (talkshow), we asked the audience which male character they liked the most out of Azusa, Nagisa and Kon. The results were very different depending on the audience. In Sapporo, Azusa had the lead, but in Tokyo, Nagisa was the most popular. Kon was... well, he's not very memorable and he's a subcharacter, after all (laugh). Third is still alright.

In Ribon's survey (this was still during the first chapter of the series), I heard that Nagisa was the most popular male character. I'm pretty surprised at his popularity. (I always figured he would be the hated one)

As someone who wants the guy Yuya likes to be No. 1, I'm in a bit of a fix. Azusa, try harder! Geez!! ...But the difference between him and Nagisa (in terms of popularity) were very small. Very small.

EVERY YEAR, WE HOLD A CONTEST TO DECIDE ON THE CUTEST AND PRETTIEST GIRL IN THE ACADEMY.

ONE PERSON FROM EACH CLASS WILL ENTER,

AND THE ONE WITH THE MOST VOTES FROM THE STUDENTS WILL BE CHOSEN AS MISS NATSUKA ACADEMY. ☆

IT IS. ♪

I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING WHO WILL ENTER THIS YEAR. ♡

HEH ...

SOUNDS INTERESTING!!

BUT OUR SCHOOL GOES FROM JUNIOR HIGH UNTIL HIGH SCHOOL,

SO THE SAME MEMBERS ENTER EVERY YEAR, RIGHT?

PROBABLY

BUT THEY MIGHT ALSO BE DIFFERENT.

GIRLS OFTEN BECOME BEAUTIFUL SUDDENLY, RIGHT?

WHAT ABOUT YOU, AME-CHAN?

EH...

I MEAN,

YOU'RE REALLY PRETTY. AREN'T YOU ENTERING!?

WHY DIDN'T YOU GET TO ENTER UP UNTIL NOW?

EH!?

I'LL NOMINATE YOU!! IT'S DECIDED.

YEP, YEP!

EEH!?

DON'T TELL ME YOU ALREADY WON LAST YEAR.

HEY.

THAT'S RIGHT! WE HAVE AME-CHAN!!

WA-

The Miss Not-into Academy is already decided this year, too?

WAIT A MINUTE!!

EXCUSE ME FOR BEING ORDINARY

REAL, ORDINARY PEOPLE ARE PA-THETIC

DON'T BE SO MODEST

BUT I'M NOT PRETTY, AND I'M NOT CUTE, EITHER.

IT'S IMPOS-SIBLE FOR ME

I'M HAPPY THAT YOU THINK THAT WAY.

NO,

IT'S REALLY IMPOS-SIBLE

I CAN'T DO IT

YOU'RE CUTE, AME-CHAN! ♡

WAH!

YOU'RE CUTE, AME-CHAN. ♡

IT DOESN'T HURT

WHY DON'T YOU TRY ENTERING?

IF IT'S YOU, I'M SURE S YOU'LL WIN, AME

Ame.

SEE, AZUSA'S SAYING THAT, TOO. ♡

AZUSA...

because and urban
ago it's king of

AZUSA-KUN AND AME-CHAN?

CHEMISTRY LAB

実験～中和反応～

準備物

後でプリント提出するように！

SO I'M WONDERING IF THEY HAVE SOME KIND OF SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP.

WELL ..

IT'S LIKE, THEY CALL EACH OTHER BY THEIR NAMES ALONE...

BUT NAGISA ALSO CALL THEM BY THEIR NAMES ALONE, YOU KNOW?

EH!?

I WAS CURIOUS BEFORE, TOO.

THERE ARE NO OTHER PEOPLE WHO CALL THEM BY THEIR NAMES ALONE, SO ..

AH!

BUT I KNOW ABOUT AZUSA-KUN. HE WAS THE DORM HEAD.

NAGISA WAS WITH HIM ALL THE TIME, SO I KNEW THEIR FACES AND NAMES.

APPARENTLY, THEY KNEW EACH OTHER BEFORE ENTERING RASPBERRY DORM.

Huh? How many first dates do we have?

REALLY?

I DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT HOW THEY WERE BEFORE, EITHER, THOUGH.

"ALWAYS TOGETHER" ♡

HEH?

TO BE HONEST, I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW AKE-CHAN'S FACE.

BUT I HAD THE FEELING THAT THERE WAS A GIRL WHO WAS OFTEN WITH THOSE TWO.

THEY DO HAVE A SPECIAL RELATION-SHIP...

G'—LOOK.

I JUST WANTED THAT PUR PUR.

I'M SORRY.

I ASKED OUR CLASS REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE MISS CONTEST BOOK SO I COULD APPLY ON MY OWN!

NAÏVE GIRLS

//A//

I'M SURE SHE'LL BE MISS NATSUKA ACADEMY. ☆

I'M REALLY GONNA NOMINATE AME-CHAN.

I MEAN, NO ONE WILL EVEN VOTE FOR HER DURING THE CLASS ELECTION.

DO YOU THINK THAT SOMEONE FROM THE RASPBERRY DORM WILL GET VOTED FOR?

ISN'T SHE THAT GIRL WITH LONG BLACK HAIR?

KOY KOY

DUNNO HER

ISN'T IT "AME-CHAN"?

HEY, WHO'S "NAME-CHAN"?

Again

LET'S GO, EMIKA.

Hahaha

LAT

TER

GEH!!

NO!

LET GO OF ME!!

C-CALM DOWN, DUNCAN

!?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING!!?

BUT THIS GIRL IS MASTURBATING AMI-CHAN!!

AMI'S MEAN!

EVEN SO

SOB SOB

SOB

SOB

BUT AMI-CHAN IS DEFINITELY GONNA BE MISS MATSUKA ACADEMY!

HEY!!!!!!!!

WHAT'S WITH THIS GIRL? SUDDENLY SNAPPING LIKE THAT...!!

SCARY.

IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG WITH YOUR HEAD?

WHO'S THE ONE WHOSE HEAD IS MESSED UP!!?

STOP IT, YUUYA!

I REALLY DON'T HAVE TO ENTER THE CONTEST.

I'M SORRY THAT YOU GOT IN-VOLVED IN TROUBLE.

SUCH

DON'T TRY TO ACT LIKE A GOOD GIRL!!

...A-

ZUSA!

...HEY, ISN'T THIS BAD?

You got Azusa-kun involved, you know?

YEAH.

ARE YOU OKAY!?

I'M OKAY. IT'S JUST WATER.

.....

ISN'T IT?

SHIMIZU-SAN..

THE NEXT TIME YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY ABOUT OUR DORM,

WOULD YOU PLEASE SAY IT DIRECTLY TO ME?

SINCE I'M THE DORM HEAD OF RASPBERRY DORM,

I'LL TAKE FULL RESPONSIBILITY.

FUKUSHIMA AND SAKA 'OU

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Just a little more... a little more and my sidebar comments will be filled! Go me...!!

Oh yes! Yes, I remember! The other day I saw for the first time, someone buying a Ribon right in front of me. I was moved. The girl was looking at the Ribon in her hand, just staring, and I sent her telepathic signals saying "Hey, you gonna buy that? Buy it, come on!" when she mumbled "Love Berrish..." and took it to the counter. How can I describe in words how moved I felt then!! In my heart, I repeated over and over "Thank you! You're an awesome person!!" Phew. Next time I'd like to see someone walking to the register with one of my comics in hand.

You're gonna catch a cold

AZUSA...

I'LL GO BORROW A TOWEL FROM THE INFIRMARY.

THANKS.

BUT I'LL GO BY MYSELF

I'm going with you.

COME ON, YOU, TOO.

I'M SORRY...

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Okay, my last column. Brought to you by Hanita Nana, who is a little tired near the end of the year because of work, but excited about KH II. I can't help but grin and hum to myself when I think about resuming my KH!!!!

I'd love to hear your comment and suggestions.

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There's an omake page at the end of the book, so if you have time, please take a look!

Praying to see you again in volume 2... ✧

they might develop a certain intimacy...

I guess.

If they had known each other for such a long time.

DING DONG

Huh?

Azusa-kun...?

What is he doing this late..?

201

YAMANASHI AME

YES?

CLICK

203

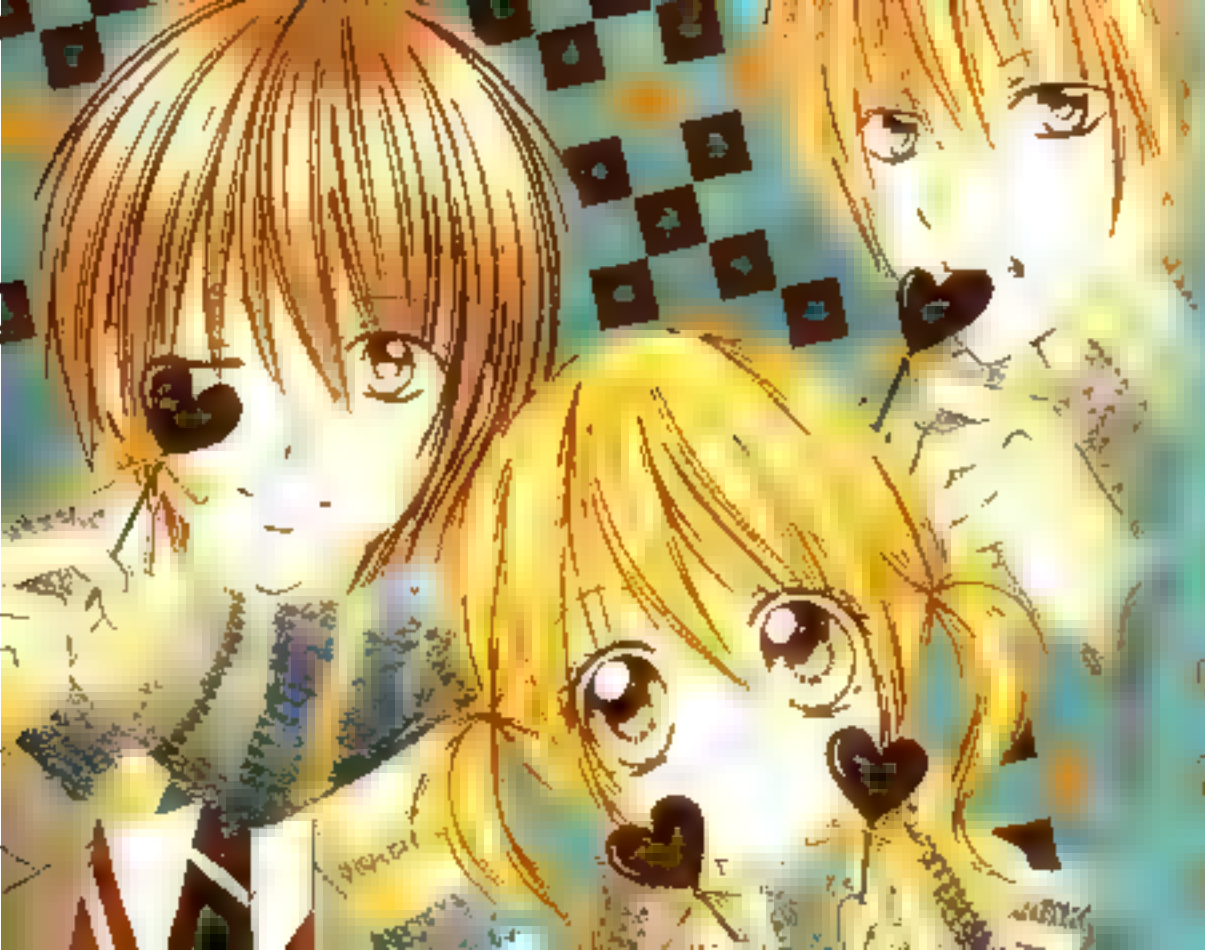
I'VE GOT TO RETURN THE TOWEL...

IT'S ME.

CLICK

EH?

LOVE BERRY



Love Berrish!

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Positions are:
» translator
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» qc-er
» scanner
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LOVEBERRISH

The Night Before Yuuya Enters the Dorm

This is...

The story about what happened a little bit before Yuuya came to Raspberry Dorm...

EH!

A NEW DORMER IS COMING!?

YAAAAAAAY!!

I HEARD THAT IT'S A GIRL

Is that a girl?

Is that a girl?

YEAH.

I HEARD FROM UTSUNOMIYA-SAN.

TO OUR DORM?!

REALLY!?

SHE'S ENERGETIC AND LIVELY

HER EYES ARE BIG AND HER HAIR IS LONG

I'M SURE SHE'S CUTE!!

I WONDER IF SHE'S CUTE.

WHAT THE, NANASAI

AT TIMES LIKE THIS, IT'S BETTER NOT TO EXPECT TOO MUCH.

JIKEITCHO

ACTUALLY

THIS IS MYSELF

YOU LOVE YOURSELF, DON'T YOU?

NICE TO MEET YOU--

I'M SURE SHE'LL BE LIKE THIS...

ISN'T THAT TOO EXTREME?

She might be right like that

YOU DON'T KNOW YET.

NO WAY !!

I-I-I-I CAN!!

THEN CAN YOU [redacted] HER FRIEND, KON?

DON'T JUDGE PEOPLE BY THEIR AP-PEARANCE!!

YOU...!

NOOOO! I CAN'T BECOME HER FRIEND IF SHE'S LIKE THAT.

I'M JUST SAYING THAT THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS.

PFFT...

HYPO-CRITE.

Thanks for the food.

FU

I CAN'T WAIT!

TO SEE WHAT KIND OF GIRL WOULD COME HERE, MICHELLE!

BUNYA~

TROT TROT

Will bring even happier days here.

That's right.

I'm sure that girl...

She's that kind of girl.

Love Berrish! Extra Story: The Night Before Yuuya Enters the Dorm / End

I didn't draw a rough copy for this, so please forgive me for its messiness...

The Journals of Haruta.

The Destiny of the Bra

It happened one day while writing the first chapter of Love Berrish...

OH YEAH, I HAVEN'T BOUGHT A REFERENCE FOR YUYA'S BRA YET.

my dear assistants

CAN YOU BUY ME A BRA WHILE YOU'RE OUT BUYING FOOD?

HEY, GUYS?

I'LL GET MY ASSISTANTS TO BUY IT WHILE THEY'RE OUT BUYING FOOD.

AH.

UM.

NOT MY BRA, I MEANT FOR REFERENCE...

Apparently their initial reaction was "go buy your own freaking bra!"

freeze

I didn't explain properly

came in a set with the bra

with the panties!!!

LET'S PUT IT ON YOUR P**H BEAR!!

Lady assistant Marina makes a lively suggestion.

WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH THIS?

A bra that had been stared at, passed around, touched and now has nowhere to go

And what happened to the bra after it finished its job as reference?

I DON'T WANT IT!!

NON-CHAN, YOU CAN HAVE IT.

HARU

※ Put under censor for certain purposes

approx. 50cm

After,

YOU'RE RIGHT.

HE LOOKS LIKE A NEWLYWED BRIDE!!

※

P**h is a boy.

HARU

Pooh: The Fashion Show

And from then on, P**h gradually became our dress-up doll.

SANTA HAT

KNIT CAP

THESE ARE ALL OF HARUTA'S POSSESSIONS.

Rabbit ears?

WHAT THE HELL WAS THE LAST ONE?

I'm sorry, P**h. I love you.

But I still think it looks good on you.

YELL

SCREAM

P**H'S WAITING TO BE STRIPPED, YOU KNOW...

DON'T SAY THAT!! HOW VULGAR!

HARU

THEN WHY DON'T YOU TAKE IT OFF?

For some reason Marina is embarrassed.

NO!

HARU

Came up with the idea in the first place

And just a few months ago...

Is he gonna stay like that?

AREN'T YOU GONNA TAKE IT OFF OF P**H NOW?

Special Thanks.

M. Shinano
M. Umezawa
A. Ryui
S. Nakano
M. Yukimaru
R. Sawatari
R. Hayase
M. Natsusaki
H. Karuki
M. Yuzuhara
A. Sakura
H. Nozaki

H. Moriwake

and You☆

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for your reading.

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